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SUBJ: KAMPUCHEA PREPARED TO USE MONEY AGAIN

1. THE DANISH WIRE SERVICE, RITZAU'S BUREAU, REPORTED AUGUST 11
THAT TWO MEMBERS OF THE DANISH COMMUNIST LABOR PARTY (KAP) PETER
BISCHOFF AND SVEND AAGE MADSEN, RETURNED TO DENMARK AFTER A VISIT
TO KAMPUCHEA. KAP IS THE DANISH MAOIST-LENINIST PARTY.

2. BISCHOFF AND MADSEN WERE RECEIVED IN PHNOM PENH BY PRIME
MINISTER POL POT AND NUON CHEA, DEPUTY SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE
KAMPUCHEAN COMMUNIST PARTY, WHO INFORMED THEM THAT KAMPUCHEA WAS
PREPARED TO RE-INTRODUCE A MONETARY UNIT "ONCE THE PEOPLE DECIDE

THIS IS NECESSARY". BANK NOTES ALREADY HAD BEEN PRINTED, BISCHOFF
AND MADSEN WERE TOLD.

3. ACCORDING TO RITZAU'S REPORT, THE DANES WERE TOLD BY A BELGIAN
DELEGATION THAT KAMPUCHEA WAS PLANNING TO SET UP A REGULAR AIR
ROUTE TO BANGKOK.
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